

Absent—Excused

Patman

Question next on the motion to take recess until 10:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, "Yeas" and "Nays" were demanded.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—20

Aikin	Hardeman
Bernal	Herring
Berry	Hightower
Blanchard	Kennard
Brooks	Moore
Christie	Parkhouse
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Wade
Grover	Watson

Nays—10

Bates	Mauzy
Hall	Schwartz
Harrington	Strong
Hazlewood	Wilson
Jordan	Word

Absent—Excused

Patman

Accordingly, the Senate at 2:55 o'clock p.m. took recess until 10:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

APPENDIX**Sent to Governor**

March 28, 1967

S. B. No. 99
S. B. No. 7
S. B. No. 156

FORTIETH DAY

(Continued)

Wednesday, March 29, 1967

After Recess

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock a.m. and was called to order by the President.

Message From the House

Hall of the House of Representatives
Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

The House refused to concur in Senate amendments to H. J. R. No. 17 and has requested the appointment of a Conference Committee to consider the differences between the two Houses.

House Conferees: Mutscher, Price, Wieting, Williams, Moore of Hill.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY HALLMAN,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Senate Resolution 321

Senator Aikin by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have as a visitor in the Senate, Honorable Roy Sanderford, former Member of the Senate.

Whereas, We desire to welcome this distinguished visitor to the Capitol Building and Capital City; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That his presence be recognized by the Senate of Texas and that he be extended the official welcome of the Senate, and extended the privileges of the floor for today.

AIKIN
WATSON

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Aikin by unanimous consent presented former Senator Sanderford to the Members of the Senate.

Reports of Standing Committees

Senator Herring by unanimous consent submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to which was referred S. B. No. 371, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HERRING, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to which was referred S. B. No. 373, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HERRING, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to which was referred H. B. No. 362, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HERRING, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to which was referred H. B. No. 287, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass as amended and be printed.

HERRING, Chairman.

Senator Christie by unanimous consent submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,
March 28, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Departments and Institutions, to which was referred H. B. 234, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

CHRISTIE, Chairman.

Senator Watson by unanimous consent submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on In-

surance, to which was referred S. B. No. 273, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

WATSON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred S. B. No. 396, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

WATSON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred S. B. No. 324, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

WATSON, Chairman.

Senator Hall by unanimous consent submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns to which was referred S. B. No. 175, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HALL, Chairman.
CHRISTIE
WORD

House Bill 234 Ordered Not Printed

On motion of Senator Blanchard and by unanimous consent H. B. No. 234 was ordered not printed.

**Removing Co-Author of
Senate Bill 145**

On motion of Senator Wade and by unanimous consent his name will be withdrawn as Co-author of S. B. No. 145.

House Bill 213 on Third Reading

The President laid before the Senate as Unfinished Business H. B. No. 213 (the bill having been read the third time on Wednesday, March 22, 1967 with an amendment by Senator Schwartz pending).

Question—Shall the amendment by Senator Schwartz to H. B. No. 213 be adopted?

Senate Resolution 324

Senator Blanchard by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, An outstanding young man from Lubbock, William Hale McKinney, II, is visiting Austin and the Capitol today and is deeply interested in the legislative process; and

Whereas, He is exhibiting great enthusiasm for civic responsibility and the functions of government in connection therewith; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate of the State of Texas by this Resolution name William Hale McKinney, II, an Honorary Page of this body for a day—Wednesday, March 29, 1967—with all the privileges and functions of the regular pages; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for him under the Seal of the Senate as a memento of his service to the 60th Legislature.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senate Bill 175 Ordered Not Printed

On motion of Senator Creighton and by unanimous consent S. B. No. 175 was ordered not printed.

House Bill 689 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Jordan and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 689, A bill to be entitled "An Act concerning the taking of oysters from the waters of Chambers and Galveston Counties, Texas; providing penalties; amending Sections 1 and 5, Chapter 217, Acts of the

55th Legislature, Regular Session, 1957; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and passed to third reading.

House Bill 689 on Third Reading

Senator Jordan moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 689 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hall	Wade
Hardeman	Watson
Harrington	Wilson
Hazlewood	Word
Herring	

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hall	Wade
Hardeman	Watson
Harrington	Wilson
Hazlewood	Word
Herring	

Message From the House

Hall of the House of Representatives
Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

H. C. R. No. 76, Extending welcome to Joseph A. Beirne.

H. J. R. No. 34, Proposing amendments to Sections 4, 22, and 23 of Article IV, Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide a four-year term of office for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Comptroller of Public Accounts, Treasurer, Commissioner of the General Land Office, Secretary of State, and certain statutory State officers.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY HALLMAN,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

House Bill 213 on Third Reading

The Senate resumed the consideration of the pending business, same being H. B. No. 213 on its third reading with an amendment by Senator Schwartz pending.

Question—Shall the amendment by Senator Schwartz to H. B. No. 213 be adopted?

(Senator Herring in the Chair.)

Pending discussion by Senator Schwartz of his amendment, Senator Strong offered the following substitute for the pending amendment by Senator Schwartz:

Substitute the following for the pending amendment:

Amend H. B. No. 213 by deleting Section 1 therefrom and inserting the following in lieu thereof:

Section 1. Section 4a of Acts 1961, 57th Legislature, 1st Called Session, page 38, chapter 15 (codified as Article 286a, Vernon's Texas Penal Code), is repealed and the following shall be substituted therefor:

Sec. 4a. When a purchaser will certify that a purchase of an item of personal property is needed, then this Act shall not apply.

The amendment was read.

Senator Parkhouse raised the Point of Order that the amendment by Senator Strong was not germane to the caption of the bill.

The Presiding Officer (Senator Herring in the Chair) overruled the Point of Order.

Question—Shall the substitute by Senator Strong for the pending amendment by Senator Schwartz to H. B. No. 213 be adopted?

Senate Resolution 328

Senator Hightower by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have as a visitor in the Senate, former Senator George Moffett; and

Whereas, We desire to welcome this distinguished visitor to the Capitol Building and Capital City; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That his presence be recognized by the Senate of Texas and that he be extended the official welcome of the Senate, and the privileges of the floor.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

The Presiding Officer (Senator Herring in the Chair) presented the distinguished guest to the Members of the Senate.

(President in the Chair.)

Bills Signed

The President signed in the presence of the Senate after the caption had been read, the following enrolled bills:

H. B. No. 689, A bill to be entitled "An Act concerning the taking of oysters from the waters of Chambers and Galveston Counties, Texas; providing penalties; amending Sections 1 and 5, Chapter 217, Acts of the 55th Legislature, Regular Session, 1957; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 125, A bill to be entitled "An Act transferring original jurisdiction in matters of eminent domain from the County Court of Hopkins County to the district courts in and for that county; and declaring an emergency."

House Bill 213 on Third Reading

The Senate resumed the consideration of the pending business, same being H. B. No. 213 on its third reading with an amendment by Senator Schwartz and a substitute by Senator Strong for the amendment by Senator Schwartz pending.

Question—Shall the substitute amendment by Senator Strong for the pending amendment by Senator Schwartz be adopted?

The substitute by Senator Strong to the pending amendment by Senator Schwartz failed of adoption by the following vote:

Yeas—7

Bates	Schwartz
Christie	Strong
Hall	Word
Mauzy	

Nays—20

Aikin	Herring
Bernal	Jordan
Blanchard	Kennard
Cole	Moore
Connally	Parkhouse
Creighton	Patman
Grover	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Harrington	Wade
Hazlewood	Watson

Absent

Berry	Hightower
Brooks	Wilson

Question—Shall the amendment by Senator Schwartz to H. B. No. 213 be adopted?

Recess

Senator Wilson moved that the Senate take recess until 2:00 o'clock p.m. today.

Senator Strong moved that the Senate stand adjourned until 9:00 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

Question first on the motion to adjourn until 9:00 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, "Yeas" and "Nays" were demanded.

The motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—6

Connally	Schwartz
Hall	Strong
Mauzy	Word

Nays—21

Aikin	Cole
Bernal	Creighton
Blanchard	Grover
Brooks	Hardeman
Christie	Harrington

Herring	Ratliff
Jordan	Reagan
Kennard	Wade
Moore	Watson
Parkhouse	Wilson
Patman	

Absent

Bates	Hazlewood
Berry	Hightower

Question next on the motion to take recess until 2:00 o'clock p.m. today, the motion prevailed.

Accordingly the Senate at 12:15 o'clock p.m. took recess until 2:00 o'clock p.m. today.

After Recess

The President called the Senate to order at 2:00 o'clock p.m. today.

House Bill 213 on Third Reading

The Senate resumed the consideration of pending business, same being H. B. No. 213 on its third reading with an amendment by Senator Schwartz pending.

Question—Shall the amendment by Senator Schwartz to H. B. No. 213 be adopted?

Pending discussion by Senator Schwartz of his amendment, Senator Parkhouse moved the Previous Question on the pending amendment and the final passage of H. B. No. 213 and the motion was duly seconded.

Question—Shall the Previous Question now be put?

The Previous Question on the pending amendment by Senator Schwartz and the final passage of H. B. No. 213 was ordered by the following vote:

Yeas—18

Aikin	Hazlewood
Berry	Herring
Brooks	Hightower
Cole	Moore
Connally	Parkhouse
Creighton	Patman
Grover	Ratliff
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson

Nays—11

Bates	Christie
Bernal	Hall
Blanchard	Jordan

Kennard
Mauzy
Schwartz

Strong
Word

Absent

Reagan

Wilson

Question—Shall the amendment by Senator Schwartz to H. B. No. 213 be adopted?

Pending discussion by Senator Schwartz on his amendment, Senator Hall moved that the Senate take recess until 9:00 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

Question on the motion to take recess until 9:00 o'clock a.m. tomorrow, "Yeas" and "Nays" were demanded.

The motion to take recess until 9:00 o'clock a.m. tomorrow was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—12

Bates
Berry
Christie
Connally
Hall
Jordan

Kennard
Mauzy
Patman
Schwartz
Strong
Word

Nays—15

Aikin
Bernal
Blanchard
Brooks
Creighton
Grover
Hardeman
Herring

Hightower
Moore
Parkhouse
Ratliff
Reagan
Wade
Watson

Absent

Cole
Harrington

Hazlewood
Wilson

The Senate resumed the consideration of the pending business, same being H. B. No. 213 on its third reading and final passage with an amendment by Senator Schwartz pending.

Question—Shall the amendment by Senator Schwartz to H. B. No. 213 be adopted?

Pending further discussion by Senator Schwartz of his amendment, Senator Parkhouse raised the Point of Order that Senator Bates was not asking a question of Senator Schwartz.

The President requested Senator Bates to confine his remarks to a question on the pending amendment.

Senator Hardeman moved a Call of Senate for the purpose of maintaining a quorum until the disposition of the pending amendment and the final passage of H. B. No. 213 and the motion was duly seconded.

Question—Shall the Call of the Senate now be ordered?

A Call of the Senate for the purpose of maintaining a quorum until the disposition of the pending amendment and the final passage of H. B. No. 213 was ordered by the following vote:

Yeas—15

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Moore
Cole	Parkhouse
Creighton	Ratliff
Grover	Reagan
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson
Herring	

Nays—10

Blanchard	Mauzy
Christie	Schwartz
Connally	Strong
Hall	Wilson
Jordan	Word

Absent

Bernal	Hazlewood
Berry	Kennard
Brooks	Patman

The President directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll for the purpose of ascertaining the Members of the Senate present.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Present—27

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Blanchard	Kennard
Christie	Mauzy
Cole	Moore
Connally	Parkhouse
Creighton	Patman
Grover	Ratliff
Hall	Reagan
Hardeman	Schwartz
Harrington	Strong
Herring	Wade

Watson
Wilson

Word

Absent—4

Bernal
Berry

Brooks
Hazlewood

Senator Bates moved that the Sergeant-at-Arms be directed to close all the doors leading from the Senate Chamber and to bring in the absent members to the Senate Chamber, but if the absentees did not return voluntarily that they be arrested and brought back to the Senate Chamber.

The motion prevailed.

Pending further discussion by Senator Schwartz of his amendment, Senator Strong raised the Point of Order that a quorum of the Senate was present, but the Senate should await return of the absent Members before any business could be transacted by the Senate.

The President directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll to ascertain if the Senate desired to continue to transact business pending the return of the absentee Members.

The roll was called and the Senate agreed to continue the transaction of business pending the return of the absentee Members by the following vote:

Yeas—18

Aikin	Hightower
Bernal	Jordan
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Creighton	Reagan
Hardeman	Wade
Herring	Watson

Nays—9

Bates	Schwartz
Connally	Strong
Hall	Wilson
Kennard	Word
Mauzy	

Absent

Berry	Harrington
Grover	Hazlewood

Pending further discussion by Senator Schwartz of his amendment, Senator Parkhouse raised the Point

of Order that Senator Schwartz was not speaking on his amendment.

The President over-ruled the Point of Order.

Pending further discussion by Senator Schwartz of his amendment, Senator Wilson moved that the Senate stand adjourned until 9:00 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

Question on the motion to adjourn, "Yeas" and "Nays" were demanded.

The motion to adjourn was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—12

Bates	Mauzy
Berry	Patman
Blanchard	Schwartz
Connally	Strong
Hall	Wilson
Kennard	Word

Nays—18

Aikin	Herring
Bernal	Hightower
Brooks	Jordan
Christie	Moore
Cole	Parkhouse
Creighton	Ratliff
Grover	Reagan
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson

Absent

Hazlewood

Pending further discussion by Senator Schwartz of his amendment, Senator Blanchard occupied the Chair.

(President in the Chair.)

Question—Shall the amendment by Senator Schwartz to H. B. No. 213 be adopted?

Reports of Standing Committees

Senator Hightower by unanimous consent submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Game and Fish, to which was referred S. B. No. 163, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the

recommendation that it do pass as amended and be printed.

HIGHTOWER, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Game and Fish, to which was referred H. B. No. 244, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HIGHTOWER, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Game and Fish, to which was referred H. B. No. 529, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HIGHTOWER, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Game and Fish, to which was referred H. B. No. 141, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HIGHTOWER, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Game and Fish, to which was referred H. B. No. 597, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HIGHTOWER, Chairman.

Senator Hall by unanimous consent submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,
March 29, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, to which was referred H. B. No. 109, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HALL, Chairman.

CHRISTIE
WORD

House Bill 529 Ordered Not Printed

On motion of Senator Word and by unanimous consent H. B. No. 529 was ordered not printed.

House Bill 141 Ordered Not Printed

On motion of Senator Word and by unanimous consent H. B. No. 141 was ordered not printed.

House Bill 109 Ordered Not Printed

On motion of Senator Creighton and by unanimous consent H. B. No. 109 was ordered not printed.

(Senator Brooks in the Chair.)

Senate Resolution 330

Senator Herring by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, Miss Mary Rice, Director of the Austin Public Library System since July of 1944, has been selected by the Texas Library Association as the Texas Librarian for the Year; and

Whereas, Miss Rice was reared in Austin where she attended Wooldridge Elementary School, Allan Junior High School, Austin High School, and was graduated from the University of Texas, with further studies in library science from Columbia University; and

Whereas, Miss Rice gained valuable library experience at Our Lady of the Lake College in San Antonio, Texas, Texas A & M College, and Louisiana State University, prior to her professional work in Austin; and

Whereas, This being the second occasion on which Miss Rice has received public recognition for her work in the educational field as she was named Woman of the Year in Austin in 1958; and

Whereas, Under the supervision of Miss Rice, Austin's library service has kept pace with the rapidly developing city; for Miss Rice started serving as head librarian of the

Austin Public Library nearly 23 years ago when one library served the city of some less than 125,000 people; now, with a population of nearly 250,000, Austin is served by the main library, the Howson Branch, the Southwood Center Branch, a number of community branches, two large bookmobiles, and plans are underway on the Oak Springs Branch in East Austin; and

Whereas, It is the desire of the Senate to honor this outstanding lady who has served her community in the library field; for her dedication to her profession; and her improvement of library service in Texas; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Senate of the 60th Legislature, That it extend its congratulations to Miss Mary Rice in recognition of her outstanding achievements in the library field and because of the honor bestowed upon her as Texas Librarian of the Year; and be it further

Resolved, That this Resolution be adopted and copies of it sent to Miss Rice as a token of the admiration of the Senate.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

(President in the Chair.)

House Bill 213 on Third Reading

The Senate resumed the consideration of the pending business, same being H. B. No. 213 on its third reading and final passage with an amendment by Senator Schwartz pending.

Question—Shall the amendment by Senator Schwartz to H. B. No. 213 be adopted?

(Senator Herring in the Chair.)

Pending further discussion by Senator Schwartz of his amendment, Senator Wilson moved that the Senate stand adjourned until 9:00 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

(President in the Chair.)

Question on the motion to adjourn, "Yeas" and "Nays" were demanded.

The motion to adjourn was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—10

Bates

Connally

Hall
Jordan
Mauzy
Patman

Schwartz
Strong
Wilson
Word

Nays—20

Aikin
Bernal
Berry
Blanchard
Brooks
Christie
Cole
Creighton
Grover
Hardeman

Harrington
Herring
Hightower
Kennard
Moore
Parkhouse
Ratliff
Reagan
Wade
Watson

Absent

Hazlewood

Pending further discussion by Senator Schwartz of his amendment, Senator Parkhouse raised the Point of Order that Senator Schwartz was not talking on the subject of the bill.

The President over-ruled the Point of Order.

Pending further discussion by Senator Schwartz of his amendment, Senator Hall moved to amend the motion for the Call of the Senate to excuse those members who were ill and unable to return to the floor of the Senate.

There was no objection offered.

Pending further discussion by Senator Schwartz of his amendment, Senator Creighton occupied the Chair.

(President in the Chair.)

Question on the adoption of the amendment by Senator Schwartz, the amendment failed of adoption by the following vote:

Yeas—6

Bates
Hall
Mauzy

Schwartz
Strong
Word

Nays—23

Aikin
Bernal
Berry
Blanchard
Brooks
Cole
Connally

Creighton
Grover
Hardeman
Harrington
Herring
Hightower
Jordan

Kennard
Moore
Parkhouse
Patman
Ratliff

Reagan
Wade
Watson
Wilson

Absent

Christie Hazlewood

The bill (H. B. No. 213) was finally passed.

Record of Votes

Senators Schwartz, Mauzy, Strong, Word, Hall and Bates asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the final passage of H. B. No. 213.

Welcome and Congratulatory Resolutions

S. R. No. 323—By Senator Herring: Extending congratulations to Miss

Janis Payne and Charles E. McCullough of Austin.

S. R. No. 326—By Senator Bernal: Extending welcome to Civics Class of Sacred Heart Catholic School of San Antonio.

S. R. No. 327—By Senator Herring: Extending welcome to Fifth Grade Students of Travis Heights Elementary School of Austin, including John Ben Blanchard, son of Senator H. J. Blanchard.

S. R. No. 329—By Senator Herring: Extending welcome to students of the First Grade Class of the Little Red School House of Austin.

Recess

On motion of Senator Aikin the Senate at 8:35 o'clock p.m. took recess until 9:00 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

In Memory of
P. L. (Pinkie) Downs

Senator Moore by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

(Senate Resolution 322)

Whereas, A beloved friend and highly-respected member of the staff of Texas A & M University, P. L. (Pinkie) Downs is mourned today in the legislative halls after his death in Galveston, on Tuesday, March 21, 1967; and

Whereas, Mr. Downs had been the official Texas A & M Greeter for many years; had been affiliated with the University since he enrolled as a freshman in 1902; had served as athletic business manager, assistant director of publicity & information; was credited with creating the famed thumbs up admonition of "Gig 'Em Aggies;" had hoped to live to be 92 at which time he wanted to give A & M's centennial address; and

Whereas, He was a member of Texas A & M's Board of Directors from 1923 to 1933; and for five years was a member of the Board of Directors of A & M's Association of Former Students; the Downs Natatorium at A & M University is named in his honor; and

Whereas, He was born February 26, 1884, at Temple; was named after an uncle, Col. Pickney L. Downs, a member of A & M's first graduating class; and

Whereas, He earned a degree in marketing and finance at A & M and graduated from Eastman Business College in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; he worked in the Temple bank for his father, F. F. Downs, for 28 years; he resigned to become a national bank examiner for the U. S. Comptroller of Currency; and

Whereas, For many years he headed a fruit project at A & M to benefit patients at Veterans Hospital at Temple; hosted V. A. patients from Temple for a home football game each year; and

Whereas, He was a member of the A & M Methodist Church Board of Stewards; and

Whereas, Silver Taps, a memorial tribute to A & M students normally reserved only for students who die while in school was observed for "Pinkie Downs;" and

Whereas, The death at 83 of this great and good man, who was loved by so many, is a great loss to our State; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate of the 60th Legislature, by this Resolution pay tribute to P. L. (Pinkie) Downs and express deep and sincere appreciation for his service to his University and the people of Texas; and be it further

Resolved, That the Members of the Legislature extend heartfelt sympathy to the members of his family; to his wife "Miss Bea"; to his daughter, Grey; to his brother, Fort Downs of Temple; and a sister, Mrs. Lyn P. Talley of Dallas; and be it further

Resolved, That official copies of this Resolution be prepared for his wife and daughter, and that when the Senate adjourns this day, that it do so in memory of P. L. (Pinkie) Downs.

MOORE

Signed—Lieutenant Governor Preston Smith; Aikin, Bates, Bernal, Berry, Blanchard, Brooks, Christie, Cole, Connally, Creighton, Grover, Hall, Hardeman, Harrington, Hazlewood, Herring, Hightower, Jordan, Kennard, Mauzy, Parkhouse, Patman, Ratliff, Reagan, Schwartz, Strong, Wade, Watson, Wilson, Word.

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Kennard and by unanimous consent the names of the Lieutenant Governor and all Senators were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

The resolution was then adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.

In Memory of
Mrs. Jack D. (Jewel R.) Hudson

Senator Herring by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

(Senate Resolution 325)

Whereas, In the passing of Mrs. Jack D. (Jewel R.) Hudson, Sr. on March 11, 1967, the community suffered the loss of one who was a credit to her city and her state; and

Whereas, Mrs. Hudson was a native Texan and had resided in Travis County for the past 40 years; and she had served her state faithfully for the past 17 years as a typist in the Senate mailing room, during which time she endeared herself to all who knew her; and

Whereas, Mrs. Hudson received her BA degree at the College of Industrial Arts (now Texas Woman's University) and her MA degree at the University of Texas; and she was principal of the school in New Hope and a teacher for several years at College Station as well as several other schools; and

Whereas, Mrs. Hudson will be fondly remembered and greatly missed by her host of friends and loved ones; and

Whereas, She is survived by her husband, Jack D. Hudson, Sr.; her two sons, Jack D. Hudson, Jr. of Houston and Weldon R. Hudson of Austin; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Jo Freeman and Mrs. Sarah Jewell Fryman of Austin; a sister, Dr. Ruby Jo Kennedy of New London, Connecticut; a brother, Henry Reeves of Pecos; and nine grandchildren; and

Whereas, It is the desire of the Senate to honor the memory of Mrs. Hudson and to express its sympathy to the surviving members of her family; now therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the 60th Legislature, That it does hereby extend sincere and heartfelt sympathy to the family of Mrs. Jack D. Hudson, Sr.; that copies of this Resolution be sent to members of the family by the Secretary of the Senate, under the Seal of the Senate; that a page in the Journal be set aside for this Resolution; and that when the Senate adjourns today, it do so in honor of Mrs. Jack D. Hudson, Sr.

The resolution was read and was adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.